



**Bournemouth  
University**

## Postgraduate Academic Excellence Scholarship (International) equivalency table

2025/26 entry

Country	Minimum grade for scholarship
Afghanistan	Master's degree with minimum 85%
Albania	Diplomë e Nivelit të Pare / Bachelor with minimum 9/10
Algeria	Licence with minimum 18/20 (compares to Standard Degree)
Angola	Licenciatura (Grau de Licenciado/a) with minimum 19/20
Argentina	Grado de Licenciado with minimum 8/10
Armenia	Bachelor's degree or Specialist Diploma with minimum GPA 3.7/4.0 or 80%
Australia	Bachelor Honours degree with minimum 85%
Austria	Bachelor's degree with GPA or 1.5/5.0 or Pass with high distinction
Azerbaijan	Bachelor's degree with minimum 90%
Bahrain	Bachelor's degree with minimum 3.5/4.0 or 87%
Bangladesh	Master's degree (following a 3-4 year Bachelor degree) with minimum 70%, 3.5/4.0, A-
Belarus	Specialist Diploma with minimum 9/10
Belgium	Bachelor or Licentiaat with minimum 80%+
Bolivia	Licenciado/ Titulo de (Subject area) with minimum 85%
Botswana	Master's degree from University of Botswana with minimum 4.5/5.0 or 76%+
Brazil	Titulo de Bacharel/Licenciado with Excelente 8.5/10
Bulgaria	Bachelor's degree with minimum 5.5/6
Canada	Bachelor's degree (Honours) with minimum 3.5/4.0 or 80%
Cambodia	Master's degree with minimum 80% or 3.5/4
Cameroon	Maitrise / Master I with minimum 17/20 OR 85% or 3.6/4.0

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China	Bachelor's degree (4 years) with minimum 80% or GPA of 3.0/4.0 (or 75% or GPA of 2.75/4.0 for applicants from 985/211 universities (link below) <a href="http://www.besteduchina.com/universities_of_211_project_and_985_project.html">http://www.besteduchina.com/universities_of_211_project_and_985_project.html</a>
Colombia	Licenciado (4 years) with minimum GPA 4.0/5.0
Croatia	Bachelor's degree with minimum 4/5
Cyprus	Bachelor's degree or Ptychio with minimum 8/10 or 16/20
Czech	Bakalar degree with 1.5+
Denmark	Bachelor's degree with minimum 80% or ECTS Grade A or GPA 11+
Ecuador	Titulo de Licenciado with minimum 34/40 or 27/30 or 17/20
El Salvador	Licenciado or Titulo de (Subject area) with minimum 8.5/10
Egypt	Bachelor's degree (from Universities) with minimum GPA 3.2/4.0 or 80-100%
Estonia	Bakalaurusekraad/Bachelor's degree with minimum 4.6/5.0
Eswatini	Master's degree with minimum 80%
Ethiopia	Master's degree with minimum 3.5/4.0
Finland	Kandidaatti / Kandidat with minimum Grade 4-5
France	Licence with overall 'Tres Bien' classification
Germany	Bachelor's degree with 2.0+
Ghana	Bachelor's degree with minimum GPA 3.75/4.0 or 70-100%
Greece	Bachelor's degree with 8.0 or above
Hong Kong	Bachelor's degree (Honours) with minimum 3.0/4.0
Hungary	Alapfokozat (Bachelor's degree) with minimum 4.5/5.0
Iceland	Baccalaureatus with minimum Grade 8
India	Bachelor's degree with minimum 75%
Indonesia	Sarjana S1 (Bachelor's degree) with minimum 3.3/4.0
Iran	Licence - Karshenasi (Bachelor's degree) with minimum 18/20

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Ireland	Honours Bachelor degree with 1st
Italy	Diploma di Laurea/Bachelor's degree with minimum 95/110
Ivory Coast	Master's degree with minimum 17/20
Japan	Bachelor's degree (4 years) with minimum 80%
Jordan	Bachelor's degree with minimum GPA 3.65/4.0 (Excellent)
Kazakhstan	Bachelor Hons degree/Specialist Diploma with minimum 3.67/4.0 or A or 90-100%
Kenya	Bachelor's degree with minimum Grade A or 70-100%
Kuwait	Bachelor's degree with minimum 3.6/4.0 or A
Latvia	Bakalaura Diploms with minimum 9 or Grade A
Lebanon	French institutions: minimum 16/20, US system: 3.5/4.0 Lebanese American University & Beirut Arab University: 85%+
Libya	Bachelor's degree with minimum 91-100%
Lithuania	Bakalauro Diplomas with minimum 9.0/10
Madagascar	Maitrise with minimum 17/20
Malaysia	Bachelor's degree with minimum 3.25/4.0
Malta	Bachelor's degree with Cat I/ 1st
Mauritius	Bachelor's degree with minimum 70%+
Mexico	Titulo de Licenciado with minimum 85%
Mongolia	Master's degree with minimum 2.8/4.0
Morocco	Diplome du Cycle Normal/ Licence/ Licence Professionnelle/ Licence d'Etudes Fondamentales with minimum 18/20
Myanmar	Master's degree with minimum 4.5/5.0 or First class
Namibia	Bachelor (Honours) degree or Professional Bachelor's degree with minimum 85%
Nepal	Master's degree (following a 3-year Bachelor's degree) with minimum 80%

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Netherlands	Dutch Bachelor's degree with minimum GPA 8.0/10
Nicaragua	Licenciado with minimum 90%
Nigeria	Bachelor's degree with GPA 3.5/5.0
Norway	Bachelorgrad/Candidatus Magisterii with ECTS Grade A
Oman	Bachelor's degree with minimum 3.5/4.0
Pakistan	Bachelor's degree (4 years) with minimum 75%, GPA 3.5/4.0
Peru	Titulo de Licenciado with minimum 17/20
Philippines	Bachelor's degree (from 2022) GPA 1.25/5.0 or 3.5/4.0 or Master's degree (pre-2022): different grading systems: Grade 1.25 or lower or GPA 3.5/4.0
Poland	Licencjat / Inżynier with ECTS grade A or minimum 4.5/5.0
Portugal	Licenciado with minimum 16/20
Qatar	Bachelor's degree with minimum GPA 3.5/4.0 or 4.4/5.0
Romania	Diploma de Licenta /Bachelor's degree with minimum 8.0/10
Russia	Bachelor's degree with Honours (Red Bow)
Rwanda	Bachelor (Honours) degree or Diplome de Doctor de Medicine with minimum 1st (80%) or 16/20
Sierra Leone	Bachelor's degree (Honours) with minimum 75%+ or GPA 3.75/5.0
Saudi Arabia	Bachelor's degree with minimum GPA 3.5/4.0 or 4.0/5.0
Singapore	Bachelor (Honours) degree with minimum 1st or GPA 4.0/5.0
Slovakia	Bakalar (Bachelor's degree) with minimum 93-100%
Slovenia	Diploma o pridobljeni univerzitetni izobrazbi (University Degree) with minimum 9/10
South Africa	Bachelor's degree with average of 75-100%/ 1 <sup>st</sup> Class
South Korea	Bachelor's degree with minimum GPA 3.5/4.5 or 3.3/4.3 or 3.2/4.2
Spain	Grado or Licenciatura with minimum 7.5/10

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Sri Lanka	Bachelor's degree (Special or Honours) with minimum A- or GPA 3.7/4.0
St. Lucia	Bachelor's degree with minimum 3.5/4.0
Sudan	Bachelor's degree (in professional subjects) or Honours degree with minimum 80%
Sweden	Bachelor's degree / Kandidatexamen with ECTS Grade A/ VG
Switzerland	Bachelor's degree with 8.5/10, 5.0/6.0, 1.5/5 (1 is the highest mark)
Syria	Bachelor's degree (Licence or Al-Ijâza fi) with minimum 85%
Taiwan	Bachelor's degree with minimum GPA 3.3/4.0
Thailand	Bachelor's degree with minimum GPA 2.8/4.0
Tanzania	Bachelor's degree with minimum 1 <sup>st</sup> or GPA 4.4/5.0
Turkey	Lisans Diploması with minimum GPA 2.8/4.0
UAE	Bachelor's degree with minimum GPA 3.5/4.0
Uganda	Bachelor's degree with minimum 4.4/5.0
UK	<b><u>BU Int College</u></b> : Successful completion of Pre-Masters with minimum grades of 70%  <b><u>UK Degree</u></b> 1 <sup>st</sup> class
Ukraine	Bachelor's degree or Specialist Diploma with minimum 3.5/4.0 or 4.5/5.0
USA	Bachelor's degree with minimum 3.0/4.0
Vietnam	Bang Tot Nghiep Dai Hoc/Bachelor's degree with minimum GPA 8.0/10 or 3.5/4.0
Yemen	Master's degree with minimum 88%
Zambia	Master's degree with minimum 85%
Zimbabwe	Bachelor (Honours) degree with minimum 75%+

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